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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re the Patent Application of:  
**Hiller, et al.**

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Title: **A Method For Providing Multiple  
Points Of Connectivity To Subscribers  
Of Wireless Communication Networks**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the Office Action dated July 5, 2002 and received in regard to the above-captioned application, please enter the following response.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

**Please amend the claims as follows:**

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1. (Amended) A method for providing multiple point connectivity to a Mobile Node (hereafter "MN") of a wireless communication network, the method comprising:  
establishing a network interface at a host network controlling element of the communication network thus allowing communication channels established and accessed by the MN to be routed between the host network controlling element and other network controlling elements of the communication network.